

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Me Van Le

Application No.: 09/765,891

Filed: January 18, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
STORING POSITION OFFSET  
INFORMATION ON A HARD DRIVE  
ASSEMBLY CYLINDER

Examiner: Thang V. Tran

Art Group: 2653

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), the Applicant for the above-identified application respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three (3) month extension of time, extending the period for response to December 28, 2005 from the Final Office Action dated June 28, 2005.

A check in the amount of \$1,810.00 is enclosed to cover the RCE and Extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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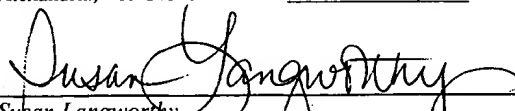
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